

REPLY OF GERMANY MAY COME TODAY

It Is Thought the Huns Will Accept the Allied Terms, Answering By Wireless Before Day Ends.

Paris, November 9.—It is probable that the German reply to the Allied terms for an armistice will be brought back by the same courier that took them to German headquarters at Spa, yesterday. Under the conditions, it is believed the reply can not be delivered before the middle of this afternoon at the earliest. The German government, however, may use the wireless in which case the envoys at Marshal Foch's headquarters will have only to ratify the decision thus conveyed to them.

It is regarded as probable in well-informed circles that Prince Maximilian, the German imperial chancellor, will today communicate, the terms of the armistice to a committee of Reichstag party leaders and will himself convey their vote to authorize the envoys to sign the armistice.

Vice Admiral William S. Sims, commander of the American naval forces in the war zone, was present at the first interview between Marshal Foch and the German armistice mission yesterday.

BURIAL OF MAJOR GUILFOYLE

The funeral of Major Guilfoyle, who died Thursday at his home in Maysville of dropsy, was held Saturday morning from his late home, the burial taking place in the Catholic cemetery at Washington. It was necessary to have a casket made to measure to accommodate his remains, and upon its arrival at the house, in order to get it in, it was necessary to remove the entire door frame, so large was the casket. For some time Mr. Guilfoyle could not lie down at all, and a specially constructed chair was his sleeping quarters.

CONVENTION POSTPONED

The Kentucky Highway Engineers' Convention, which was to have been held at Owensboro November 12th, 13th and 14th, has been postponed on account of the influenza epidemic. It is thought a meeting will be held some time this year, but none will be held as long as there is danger in holding the meetings.

Fresh Baltimore Oysters received daily.
R. LEE LOVELL. 7-3t

REVOLUTION IN GERMANY REACHES THE BIG CENTERS

Berlin, Hanover, Oldenburg and Other Cities Have Entered the Movement.

The Hague, November 9.—Report was received here today that insurgents have seized Berlin, setting fire to the postoffice and City Hall.

Copenhagen, November 9.—The uprising in northwestern Germany, according to the only direct news from Germany early today, is reported to have spread to Hanover, Oldenburg and other cities.

Reports from the Danish border town of Vandrup say that all is quiet in Schleswig, but that further disturbances are reported to have occurred in Hamburg.

A general railway strike has been called in Germany according to a dispatch to the Social Demokraten today.

The dispatch said there are 200,000 deserters in Berlin.

Kaiser Refuses to Abdicate

Amsterdam, November 9.—The Kaiser has refused to abdicate. He refuses on the ground that such act will produce complete anarchy and a reign of Bolshevism in Germany. The emperor told Minister of the Interior Drees that he would not assume the responsibility for "such a terrible state of affairs or hand Germany over to the Entente."

The ultimatum of the Socialists that Wilhelm abdicate and the crown prince renounce the throne was sent to Prince Maximilian of Baden by the Managing committee of the German Socialist party. The committee also demanded the right of public assembly; that military and police must be ordered to exercise great reserve; the immediate transformation of the Prussian government in conformity with the views of the Reichstag; greater Socialist influence in the Reichstag.

Thomas Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper of the Springdale neighborhood, died in a military hospital in France on October 10th, of wounds received while in battle. He was 23 years old, and was one of the Mason county draftees that went overseas in June.

Sample 1919 Diaries on display at J. T. KACKLEY & CO. 8-2t

MAUBEUGE HAS FALLEN BEFORE BRITISH ADVANCE

Tommies Cross the Scheldt and Take Advances and Part Tournai.

London, November 9.—The British forces have captured the fortress of Maubeuge, Field Marsh Haig announced today.

On a wide front in Flanders, north of Tournai, the British troops have crossed the River Scheldt and established themselves on the east bank. They have captured the important towns of Avesnes and gained the western part of Tournai. Since November 1, the British have taken 18,000 prisoners and 700 guns.

The French, under General Bouraud, are in possession of the west bank of the Meuse, from Sedan to the outskirts of Mezieres. The Germans fought the harder as the French approached the river and appeared to hold the east bank strongly with artillery and machine guns. In the last two days more than 2,000 prisoners have been taken on the southern battlefield, and a number of guns captured. French outposts of auto-cannon shot down 35 German airplanes and put four others out of commission.

Maubeuge was the last important French fortress in the hands of the Germans. Maubeuge was taken by the Germans after heavy fighting with the British and French late in August, 1914. The town is within a few miles of the Belgian border, south of Mons, which is 13 miles northward by rail. Namur is about 40 miles east-northeast of Maubeuge and Charleroi is about midway between the two.

Where The War Really Is Over
Rome, November 9.—"No war event is reported on the Italian front," says the War Office statement, issued under Friday's date. "The conditions of the armistice are being carried out."

200,000 Prisoners Taken By the British

London, November 9.—According to an official announcement in the House of Commons, 200,000 prisoners were taken by the British on the western front from January 1 to November 5, inclusive. The French, in the same period, took 140,000, the Americans 50,000 and the Belgians 15,000.

With the Americans in France, November 9.—The Americans resumed their advance east of the Meuse today, both north and south of Damvilliers, despite a heavy rain.

They are pressing close upon the retreating enemy, and are meeting strong machine gun resistance from the German rear guards.

Germans are reported to have begun a new retreat northeast of Verdun, fleeing toward Briey—the center of the great French iron basin, 26 miles northeast of Verdun, and 12 miles northwest of Metz.

Between Wadellincourt — a mile south of Sedan — and the Woivre Forest there was great artillery and machine gun activity throughout the night.

French now are holding the Sedan station.

French Resume Advance

Paris, November 9.—The French resumed their advance on the whole front this morning, it was announced by the War Office.

"During the night there was heavy artillery and machine-gun activity at several points on the front," the communiqué said.

"This morning our troops again started their march forward on the whole line."

Bavarian King Is Overthrown

Basel, November 9.—King Ludwig III, of Bavaria and his dynasty was deposed and a republic proclaimed in Bavaria, according to reports from Munich. The overthrow of the dynasty was accomplished at a meeting at the Diet palace. The republic was proclaimed at a great popular meeting. Ludwig III. is head of the Wittelsbach house. He was proclaimed king of Bavaria in 1913. He married Archduchess Maria Theresa of Austria-Este. Prince Rupprecht, the crown prince, has been a leading Teutonic general on the Western front.

Germans Shoot Polish Rebels

London, November 9.—The population of the Polish province of Plock has revolted, and in the fighting that followed many persons were killed, an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Zurich today said. The Germans shot the leaders of the movement and deported the entire male population toward Germany.

Mr. Scott Young, the Fifth Ward grocer, who has been wrestling with a bad case of pneumonia for the past ten days, is much improved and it is thought will be able to attend to business in a few days.

KENTUCKY'S OCTOBER CROP REPORT GOOD ONE

Delayed a Few Days to Enable Farmers to Make Final Report on Corn and Tobacco.

The issuance of the November crop report is delayed a few days purposefully so that the farmers' estimates on yields can be made as final on corn and tobacco, neither of which crops are entirely housed.

The fall has been most seasonable. The drouth was broken and there has been sufficient rain fall to start the fall down grains. Pastures are consequently also in good condition and the prospects for wheat crop for 1919 are most excellent. The area of wheat sown is increased and shows at 114 per cent average which means an increase over last year's acreage of 12 per cent. Condition of same is given at 97 per cent. Wheat seeding is still in progress in some localities. In many localities more rye is being sown, acreage for the State being given at 95 per cent, and condition of same at 95 per cent, which shows a much better prospect for this crop as compared with 1917. Barley acreage is 89 per cent, and condition is given at 95 per cent. The fall grain crops are in good condition and the outlook is most favorable both as to acreage and condition.

Corn crop is light. The drouth this year injured the corn crop very materially. Some of the late corn is coming out better than it was expected. The yield as a State average is 25 bushels per acre which is 5 bushels per acre less than last year's average. This would indicate a yield of something like 97,500,000 bushels for the entire state. Corn husking is still in progress.

The average estimate on Burley tobacco gives a yield of \$33 pounds per acre while Dark tobacco has an estimated yield of \$65 pounds per acre. This is lighter in both instance than last year but of good quality.

It is early to give an estimate on yield of hemp but the preliminary estimate gives 306 pounds per acre. A very light crop of potatoes is reported. The early crop was poor but the late crop is much better. The yield as a State average is estimated at 77 bushels per acre, and sweet potatoes at 96 bushels per acre.

Pastures have improved and show a condition of 92 per cent. All classes of live stock are in good condition and the number on hand as compared with an average year shows as follows:

Horses, number on hand 92 per cent; condition 99 per cent.

Cattle, number on hand 91 per cent; condition 94 per cent.

Hogs, number on hand 91 per cent; condition 94 per cent.

Sheep, number on hand 89 per cent; condition 91 per cent.

Taken as whole the report this month indicates, that the average yields have been cut down which is largely attributable to the drouth but the fall has been favorable for sowing the grain crops and housing of corn and tobacco and considering the extreme shortage of labor, farm work is only in fairly good shape for the winter.

MAT S. COHEN,
Commissioner of Agriculture, Frankfort, Ky.

Mrs. A. T. Williams, aged 53, died at her home in Minerva Friday night, after a long illness of tuberculosis. She is survived by her husband and four children.

Fresh Baltimore Oysters received daily.
R. LEE LOVELL. 7-3t

UNION TEACHER TRAINING CLASS INSTRUCTOR SELECTED

At a recent meeting of the ministers of the city, the Union Teacher Training Class was favorably discussed and various text books examined. One of the books which will lead to a diploma upon the completion of the course was recommended. It was placed in the hands of a committee for special examination. Rev. Bailey of the Baptist Church was asked to be the teacher of the class. The announcement of the first meeting of the class will be made as soon as the ban is lifted.

Because of the benefits to be derived from taking this course of study on Bible facts and methods of teaching these facts, a large number should be enrolled in this class.

It is expected that there will be many Teacher Training classes started in the county. In these classes, as well as in the union class in Maysville, there should be four classes of persons: First. All those who are now teachers in the Bible School. Second. Those who ought to be teaching or should be preparing themselves to teach. Third. Parents who are interested in the proper development of their children. Fourth. All those desiring to increase their own knowledge of Biblical facts and methods.

A. F. STAHL,
County Teacher Training Superintendent.

MEETING OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

A meeting of the members of the Chamber of Commerce will be held in the office Monday evening to consider an amendment which bears the recommendation of the Board of Directors of that organization. The amendment deals with a change in the nominating policy of the organization.

THE OFFICIAL XMAS BOX FOR BOYS OVERSEAS

Must be sent November 15th. Should contain Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen. No greater service can be had. Just received a large new stock; no advance in prices. Call and see.

J. T. KACKLEY & CO.

The two farms advertised for sale by Thomas L. Ewan & Co., belonging to Mrs. Fannie Allen and Mrs. Joseph F. Walton, will positively be sold on the dates as advertised. They are two as good farms as are in Mason county.

The many friends in this city of Mrs. L. M. Cavendish will be pleased to learn that word was received this morning from Cincinnati, stating that her condition is very much improved.

INCOME OF RELIGIOUS CAUSES EFFECTED BY BAN

No Church Services For Four Sundays Has Worked a Severe Hardship on Some of Our Religious Departments.

For the past four Sundays there have been no services held in the churches of this community. This naturally has effected the income of these religious organizations. The expenses have been running on about the same as if the regular meetings were being held. Both the Sunday School and the churches will be effected though not in the same measure. Most of the churches of the county depend on the income from the payment of pledges to the churches' support. These pledges will be paid. Some have already looked up the treasurer of their church and paid their regular weekly pledge. Others are laying back each week the amount they expect to give and will be ready to pay up in full when the first church service is held. All of the members should be ready to do this.

But with the Sunday School it is different. The expenses are met by weekly voluntary offering of those who attend. There being no meetings the Schools are deprived of these offerings. The literature for the schools having been ordered in advance, comes weekly and must be paid for. It does not seem out of place to suggest to all that there be an extra large offering made by each person who is in any way connected with these places of religious instruction, in order that the expenses may be met promptly.

The thinking man will recognize the good influence of the church and Sunday School in his community. Not only those who attend or contribute are benefited but even those also who are indifferent to their success. Indirectly the whole community is helped by these institutions. Those who support them do so because of the general as well as the personal good to be derived.

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OUR POLICY

To support such measures as are unquestionably for the good of Mason County as an entire community, rather than such propositions as are in favor of the individual interest, or of one section as against another. And likewise to earnestly and consistently oppose all things that are not for the good of County as a whole.

INFLUENZA SEVERE ON PHYSICIANS

The immunity from contagious disease which physicians generally seem to enjoy often subject of comment.

Physicians, having knowledge of the rules of health and good sanitation, are of course better prepared than the average man of other professions to protect themselves from the ravages of contagion, even during times of extraordinary peril.

The "flu", however, appears to have furnished an exception to the rule and many physicians have fallen victims to that scourge.

Last week the deaths of 81 physicians were recorded in The Journal of the American Medical Association, occupying three pages. This week the deaths of 174 physicians are recorded, occupying five pages. The total number of deaths recorded in these two issues is 255, and of these 154 are definitely known to have been due to pneumonia; undoubtedly in the majority of instances in which the cause is not given it was influenza.

"These obituaries," says the Journal, "are records of sacrifice to duty. A layman may, if he desires, keep from exposing himself to any infection; but the physician must go when called without thought of consequences to himself. However, as one considers the lost one wonders whether or not some of these deaths might have been prevented by adopting some of the simple precautionary methods that have been suggested, such as the wearing of the face mask."

"This thought arose when we received a letter from a physician who, visited at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station an old patient who had influenza. Two days after his return home, Dr. A. came down with the disease. Dr. B. was called to see Dr. A. and examined his throat, Dr. A. coughing in his face. Two days later, Dr. B. had the typical manifestations of the disease."

"It is proverbial that physicians like preachers, give advice which they themselves do not consistently follow. It is a wise doctor who knows his own danger."

ANOTHER FAKE

It is now stated that the real cause of the so-called "Spanish grip" in Germany is hunger.

There's a lie out somewhere.

It has been reported that the Kaiser was a conspicuous victim of Spanish grip.

We do not know the Hohenzollerns personally, but we know them by reputation and in history. We know, beyond challenge, that they do not go hungry when there is anything to eat. Before a Hohenzollern would get "Spanish grip" from an empty stomach the common people would starve to death.

Wilhelm hasn't it or it isn't a hunger trouble. Depend upon that.

SOCIALISTS ARE PERSPICACIOUS

The President's fourteen peace terms meet with the enthusiastic endorsement of the socialists of France. "We socialists," says they, "wish the allied governments to be animated by the same spirit as President Wilson." In expressing those sentiments they echo the support that Mr. Wilson has received from the socialists in this country. While not an avowed member of their party they know that he is guiding the Government according to their principles as thoroughly as though one of their own political leaders was in the White House.

The Colonel has only one criticism to offer on the drumming of the kaiser out of civilization's camp, and that is—he isn't the performer on the drum.—Anaconda Standard.

PUBLIC SALE!

OF FARM, LIVE STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS AND CROPS.

Having decided to make a change in my present location, I will sell to the highest bidder, on

Friday, Nov. 15

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1 Extra good six-year-old Holstein Cow.

2 Two-year-old Holstein Cows.
1 Two-year-old Jersey Cow.
3 Yearling Heifers, fresh in spring.

11 Good Yearling Steers, weight about 700 pounds.
1 Little Grant-Ross Ensilage Cutter No. 14.

1 Brown Wagon.
1 Low-wheel Wagon and Frame.
1 McCormick Mower.

1 Riding Cultivator—"Buckeye."
1 New Sled, 1 Buggy, 1 Harrow.
2 Vulcan Turning Plows, right-hand

2 Sets work Harness.
1 U. S. Cream Separator.
One-half Interest in Hay Rake.

1 Barrel Sprayer Outfit, used once.
50 Tons Corn Silage, privilege to feed on place.
800 Bushels Good Corn.

180 Shocks of Fodder.
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WEATHER FORECASTS FOR MOTOR ROUTES

The Weather Bureau of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has arranged, in cooperation with the State Highway Commission of Pennsylvania, to aid the automobile and motor-truck traffic during the coming winter over the Lincoln Highway between Pittsburgh and Harrisburg by giving out daily information of the weather conditions prevailing over the route and issuing weather forecasts and warnings of heavy snows and cold waves for the region traversed. The plan is for the assistant superintendents of highways at points along the route to report to the Weather Bureau office at Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock each morning by telephone or telegraph the depth of snow or ice on the highway, giving its general condition. These reports are published in the newspapers and furnished to the different automobile clubs, thus becoming available to automobile and motor-truck drivers passing over the highway. The forecasts and warnings are given public distribution and telegraphed to the superintendent of highways at Harrisburg, who gives instructions to his forces along the highway to make provisions for the anticipated weather conditions. This service was in operation last winter and gave great satisfaction. The Weather Bureau is ready to give similar service to other traffic routes as may be desired.

ALASKA DIGS IN FOR THE WINTER

Fairbanks, Alaska—Most of Alaska is about to enter its long half light winter semi-hibernation, when ice and snow lock almost everything in their grip with a wintry clasp.

Already last steamboats making connections for the outside world are lying in the northern inland river towns. In a short time Alaska's big inland summer water highway, the Yukon river, will be sealed tight with seven months' ice.

Throughout the country preparations for the winter are being made. Supplies are being laid in, for prohibition.

SHE COULD NOT STAND OR WORK

But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health and Stopped Her Pains.

Portland, Ind.—"I had a displacement and suffered so badly from it that at times I could not be on my feet at all. I was all run down and so weak I could not do my housework, was nervous and could not lie down at night. I took treatments from a physician but they did not help me. My Aunt recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I tried it and now I am strong and well again and do my own work and I give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound the credit."

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IVE FREIGHT RATES PREVAIL ON THE STAGE LINES WHICH SERVE THE COUNTRY IN THE WINTER.

Fairbanks, Nome, St. Michael, Ruby, Eagle, Anchorage, Tanana, Nenana, and Fort Yukon are the largest points in the section of Alaska locked by winter. Seward, Corova, Saldez, Juneau, Skagway, Ketchikan, Wrangell, and other southern points are on open water the year round. This year Anchorage, for the first time, will be in touch with the outside world by railroad, the government line from Seward having been completed a short time ago.

OLD SUNFLOWER USED FOR FEED IN NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque, N. M.—The New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts recently astonished the citizens who pass along the Camino road by cutting down the wild sunflowers that grew by the roadside and hauling them to the experiment station and putting them into a silo. Prof. George R. Quesenberry, in charge of the college farm work, has already conducted silage experiments with the Russian sunflower, which he has grown extensively on the college farm. The wild sunflower has heretofore been considered a pest.

President Austin D. Crile says that the college expects to go ahead and experiment with every weed, grass, and shrub that grows in New Mexico; that the first good rule to follow is to save what we have and then hunt for something else.

RAID THE HOUSE ONCE USED BY GENERAL HOWE

New York—In coming Staten Island for an enemy wireless plant, army authorities, raided the house used as enemy headquarters during the darkest year of the American revolution. The Billog house, upon which the officers descended, is the oldest building on the island and housed the British commander, Gen. Howe, during Washington's winter at Valley Forge.

The authorities discovered there a wireless plant with a radius of 1,000 miles. It had been dismantled, however, and its presence was explained satisfactorily by the owner, Julius Mesmer, an elderly shipyard employee. Mesmer has two sons, Julius and George (now holding commissions in the army). Before the war they were wireless students and the plant was their property.

TALK A LOT IN COURT, BUT THEY MAKE NO SOUND

Los Angeles, Cal.—There was much conversation in Judge Rives' Probate court, but Baliff Tom Lancaster did not interfere because the conversationalists were deaf and dumb and talked with their fingers. The matter before the court was the probate of the will of Joseph Sonnenborn. Testimony was taken with the aid of interpreters of the deaf and dumb "language." The will was admitted to probate. Mrs. Matilda Herchit of 1648 Buckingham place, the widow, was appointed executrix without bonds.

CAMP SITE IS PICKED FOR 150,000 GUARDSMEN

Manila, P. I.—Brig. Gen. Henry A. Greene, commander of the department of the Philippines, United States army, has picked Paraque, six miles from here, as the site for the cantonment of 150,000 Philippine guardsmen.

"IN A BAD WAY"

Many a Maysville Reader Will Feel Grateful for This Information.

If your back gives out; Becomes lame, weak or aching; If urinary troubles set in, Perhaps your kidneys are "in a bad way."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

Local evidence proves their merit. Mrs. R. W. Lauderback, W. Second Street, says: "Two years ago I was suffering with kidney trouble and had been for a long time. I was nervous and dizzy and had severe headaches. My kidneys were too frequent in action and annoyed me greatly. I had a dull ache across the small of my back and my back was so lame at times that I could hardly bend one way or the other. Some one advised me to use Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box at Wood & Son's Drug Store. They helped me at once and consumed use entirely cured me of the trouble."

Mrs. Lauderback is only one of many Maysville people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that cured Mrs. Lauderback—the remedy backed by home testimony. 60c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

FRENCH CROWDS KNOW THE SCORE

Spectators at track meets in France are kept posted of the results of the various events. In addition to the announced there is a huge blackboard on the side lines which is connected by telephone with the finishing point, so that, between the announcer and the blackboard, the crowd in attendance is kept well informed.

P. E. Shaw, science professor at Nottingham university college, has been fined \$10 for sending matches by mail. His defense was that they were for a relative at Horncastle, where they were scarce.



TERRIBLY SWOLLEN

Suffering Described As Torture Relieved by Black-Draught.

Rossville, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks."

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theodor's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theodor's Black-Draught."

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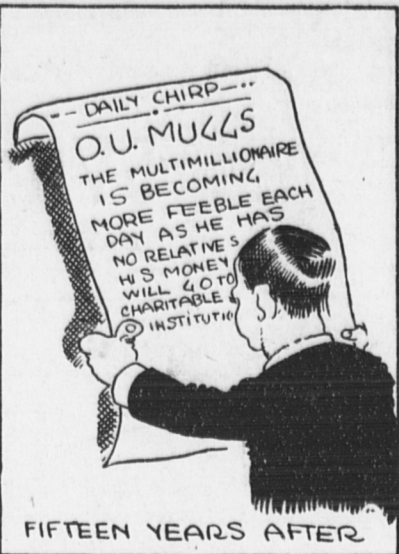
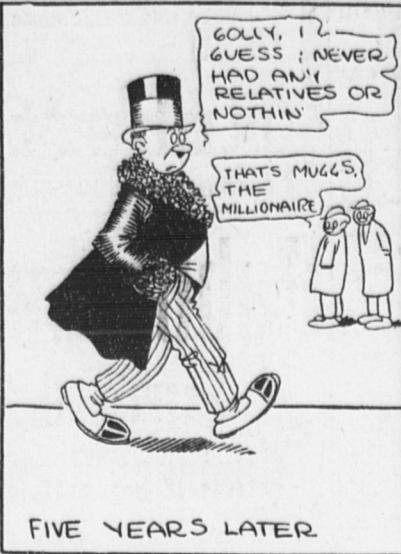
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Drawn for this paper By Fisher



GREATEST BATTLE WORLD HAS EVER SEEN

Coal Field Boys Are Heroes in Fight in Argonne

Wilkesbarre, Pa. — Gallant boys from the coal fields, members of the One Hundred and Ninth field artillery, now doing service overseas, displayed such coolness and courage in the heat the great battle in the Argonne forest that Col. Asher Miner, commander, has recommended many of the officers and men for the distinguished service war medal.

In nerve and daring, in the display of real fighting, in the war game of "Hunting the Hun", the field boys stand second to none in the great army of Uncle Sam. In the advances, withdrawals, and in caring for their dead and dying the boys of the One Hundred and Ninth have won a glorious place in the sun. Their acts of bravery and heroism are written in blood on the stained fields east of the Meuse river.

Col. Miner, himself injured in battle, has sent to Gen. Pershing his list of recommendations setting forth the deeds performed for which he believes the men should be cited for bravery.

Col. Miner, in describing the Argonne fight, refers to it as "one of the greatest battles the world has ever seen, if not the greatest." In this battle Col. Miner and Lieut. O. F. Harvey were wounded. Copies of that communication received here are as follows:

"I am writing within one kilometer of the boche lines in a dugout occupied largely by a detail of signal corps where I am taking shelter for the night, with some of my staff in another dugout near by. We are in the midst of one of the greatest battles the world has ever seen, if not the greatest, as the allies are advancing on a seventy-five kilometer front.

"The boche shells are falling near. In a short time the batteries which are not far back, will start a barrage, which we hope will carry us forward four more kilometers in addition to the twelve kilos we have already taken. The French infantry reinforcements are now here in strong force and I think will go through, as we have already passed the boche second line positions and are past the masses of barbed wire that has retarded the infantry before.

"Today has been most exciting. While at the front with McLean and Gennenbaux looking for an observation post we got in front of the advanced infantry. While there we drew machine gun fire and were obliged to take shelter in a sunken road for a while. While resting we were suddenly caught by four big shells, which burst within ten meters of us. We were covered with mud, stones, and shell splinters.

"Our big problem at first was barbed wire and machine guns. Now we have passed the masses of barbed wire, but still have the machine guns

to contend with in addition to the rain and mud. We have great difficulties in getting supplies and ammunition, for there is only one good road here. That is terribly congested, and the others are almost impassable, despite the work of the engineers to keep them open. Trucks, guns, caissons, wagons, etc., are stuck in the mud in all directions. As you get close to the front the only way to make any time is on foot.

"One splendid thing about this big fight is that the boches don't seem to have much artillery at this point, so our losses in this respect are slight, six wounded the first two days and nobody hurt since. Of course, there have been numerous narrow escapes and a number of officers and men have had to go to the hospital, due to exhaustion, exposure, and uncertain meals. This whole thing is tremendous and far beyond anything I ever expected to see.

"The German defense system which we have taken has splendid new dugouts and gun positions mingled with the old ones so plainly that they were prepared to stay here all winter. They evidently did not expect any attack in this sector, but were sure they could hold.

"Pershing's communique of September 27 tells of our day's advance, towns we have captured, and mentions the Pennsylvania, Kansas, and Missouri troops. The Pennsylvania troops are the Twenty-eighth division, and they certainly did their share. The infantry, engineers, machine gunners, etc., are doing their best to keep up. "Battery F yesterday captured three German 77-mm. guns, one of which they were able to repair and fire against the boche with his own ammunition. I had the extreme pleasure of firing two shells myself. I hope to be able to bring the gun to Wilkesbarre as a trophy after the war. It is No. 6561 and the One Hundred and Ninth claims it as its own. The regiment was highly complimented the night before last for work done that day."

Col. Miner's second letter is written a few days later. "I have had two more strenuous days in this great battle and have seen more misery and suffering than at any time heretofore. Lieut. Col. Harvey was wounded in the leg. He has done splendid work and is brave and cool under fire. Lieut. Lyon was wounded and Lieut. Grubbs of F battery was killed. Fine young officers, recently attached to us.

"I visited the batterie today which have had losses. I was especially touched with a boy from Battery A, who had his hand shattered. When I spoke to him he broke down and I said: 'You're all right, my boy; don't lose your nerve. Remember you belong to the One Hundred and Ninth.' He immediately replied: 'Colonel, my nerve is all right, but I'm so afraid I won't get back to the battery with this hand.'"

"I told him I'm sure that he got back as soon as he left the hospital. There was another boy from this same battery lying near him having three bad shell splinter wounds dressed without a whimper. Isn't that spirit of my boys remarkable? The tale of their heroism will never be told.

"The boches counter attacked here last night with a small division of 1,500 men and were repulsed with a heavy loss by one battalion of the One Hundred and Ninth Infantry of 300 men and some machine guns, assisted with our barrage. The boche lines got within fifty meters of our infantry line, but were stopped there."

GOLD STAMPEDE IN ALASKA NOW A TAME AFFAIR

Fairbanks, Alaska.—Present day Alaska gold stampedes are quiet affairs, generally held with a little publicity as possible. Although noise probably was made by the men who went north in the 1898 rush, more of it was heard in the roadhouses than on the gold creeks even then.

A short time ago "a stampede was on" to a creek near here. The Fairbanks Citizen told of it in the following story:

"For the last few days men have been leaving the town quietly, ostensibly for Shtanika. Two automobile loads left on Monday for the same place. On inquiry it was divulged that a stampede was on to the old Ophir Creek diggings. Besides those leaving Fairbanks, many left Chitanaika earlier in the week to stake ground.

"Ophir creek heads up the other side of the Chitanaika divide, opposite the head of Poker creek. It was prospect several years ago, but was considered as not being worth working. The new strike was made three miles below Old Discovery, on the benches instead of in the creek. The results and values of the new find will not be known to a certainty until some reliable staker returns."

COL. W. T. MORROW GIVEN U. S. CROSS FOR GALLANTRY

Washington, D. C.—The commander in chief of the American expeditionary forces has awarded the Distinguished Service Cross to Col. William T. Morrow, Seventh infantry, for extraordinary heroism in action at Claire Chenes, north of Montfaucon, France, October 20-21, 1918. On October 20, 1918, when the Claire Chenes had been taken by the troops of his command and a hostile counter attack had forced them back over the ground gained in the morning's fighting, Col. Morrow at once took personal command of the battalion engaged in the operations, reorganized it, and with distinguished gallantry and inspiring example led his men to a victorious counter attack, drove the enemy from the woods, secured its possession, and consolidated it. On October 21 he again displayed the same qualities of leadership and personal gallantry in the successful assault on Hill No. 299.

AGENTS GETS WATER FOR SUPERFERRIN GRICE

One thousand acres of rice will be carried over the emergency peak, with a saving of about \$135,000, as the result of a survey of the rice situation made by the county agent of Stanislaus County, Cal. A report of this survey, showing the imperative need of more water, was made by the agent a special session of the County Council of Defense. The remainder of the irrigation water in the Modesto Irrigation District was promised to the rice men by the district directors as a result of the agent's report.

LISTED "WIDOW" SEEKS DIVORCE

Los Angeles, Cal.—As her husband has been missing from home for more than a year, and as the city directory says she is a widow, Mrs. Minnie Lofton of 431 South Savannah street thought she might as well finish the severance-of-relations job, so she brought suit for divorce against the missing man.

At Mrs. Lofton's home last night it was said that the husband is supposed "to be working in the mines somewhere."

BY HEALTH OFFICER

Venice, Cal.—The elephants in the Al G. Barnes circus nearly went on a strike when Health Officer Magee halted the long train of circus cars outside the city limits of Venice and, aided by a squad of military police, insisted upon a thorough fumigation of the whole outfit.

The circus had recently come from the east, where the "flu" germs were particularly virulent, and the local health officer did not want to take any chances. So he had half a dozen members of the street sweeping department go from car to car with lysol, creolin, formaldehyde, and other disinfectants.

There was no particular protest until the crew reached the elephant herd. The huge creatures looked with suspicion upon the "flu" cleaners and trumpeted loudly as the fumes of the disinfectants reached their sensitive nostrils.

Finally every animal was given a smoke barrage and the cars passed through a gas attack. At length the health officer raised the quarantine and the circus folks went to their winter quarters.

There was no open complaint, except from the albino girl. The chemicals turned her blonde, fuzzy locks to a yellowish brown.

BETTER TO DIE THAN SURRENDER, WRITES IT ALIAN

Rapallo, Italy.—Capt. Dr. Queirolo has received the following letter from a poor prisoner from the neighborhood of Borzonasca, since returned, who describes to his parents the terrible months he passed in the Austrian camp at Mauthausen.

The letter in full follows: "Relating some of my experiences as a prisoner in the camp at Mauthausen, here is what one eats in that empire of starvation: Six ounces of a bread made of straw and wood; a little water in which a few turnips and a herring had been boiled, and that not every day.

"Flogging was common; a number every day. Persons with high fever were compelled to work, drawing cars filled with earth and stone; if they complained they were struck and tied hand and foot to poles erected in a way to suspend them above the ground. Often this punishment lasted six hours and ended in death.

"Easter we passed without any food at all.

"In Austria I saw only repulsive and cruel things during my eight months' stay. Never anything humane. I also saw the gallows on which Cesare Battisti suffered death. Better to die a thousand times than to fall prisoner to the Austrians."

WANTS TO BUILD BRIDGE

(Vanceburg Sun)

Ed Rand has served notice upon County Judge W. T. Stone that he was ready to build the bridge over Sycamore creek which was estimated, we believe, to cost about \$30,000. This is part of the celebrated Concord Hill road about which there has been considerable litigation. Rand was given the culvert and bridge work by Jones, the Contractor. If the estimate before the war was \$30,000, it is safe to say it would cost more than twice that, or if the estimate was made by the same State Engineer that made the estimate of Gander Creek bridge at the Fair Grounds, it would cost over \$150,000 to build, all things considered. But let it be built, who cares?

Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?

DROPS 14 BOB IN HUN TRENCH, MAC GOES BACK

Seattle, Wash. — Private "Sandy" McNab, a Highlander from Vancouver, B. C., tells the following story, which he vouches for as true: A regiment of Scotch Highlanders went over the top in Flanders early in the war, and the fighting in the German trenches was so hot that the "Ladies from Hell" were forced back to their own trenches. On getting back a private named McGregor gave evidence of deep distress.

"What's aillin' ye, McGregor mon?" yelled his comrades. "I dropped my purse, containing 14 'bob', in the boche trenches," he wailed.

Thereupon the whole regiment went over the top again, drove the Huns out of the trenches, and, after much searching, recovered McGregor's purse and captured a couple of German majors as souvenirs.

THE HANDSOME LIEUTENANT HAD MET THE LADY BEFORE

They are telling this one on a well known Little Rock society woman: After dancing three times with a good looking lieutenant she said: "Pardon me, sir, but your face is somewhat familiar. Haven't I seen you somewhere before?" "Yes, madam, you have," the officer responded. "I was your milkman more than three years."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Food Fair Price List

(Prepared by W. D. Cochran, Federal Food Administrator, Mason County.)
Retailer Pays Consumer Pays

Sugar, granulated, bulk, per lb.	0804 @ 0964	9 1/2 @ 11
POTATOES		
Potatoes, Irish, per pk. 15 lbs.	37 1/2 @ 42	47 @ 52
FLOUR—(Paper Bags)		
Wheat Flour, 12 lbs.	67 @ 70	75 @ 78
Wheat Flour, bulk		6 1/2 @ 7
Barley Flour, bulk, per lb.	5	6 1/2
Rye Flour, bulk, per lb.	5 @ 6	6 @ 7
Corn Flour, bulk, per lb.	5 1/2	7
Rice Flour, bulk, per lb.	10	12 1/2
LARD		
Lard, Standard pure, per lb.	30 @ 31 1/2	35 @ 36 1/2
CORNMEAL		
Cornmeal, bulk, per lb.	0425 @ 0450	5 @ 5 1/2
BEANS		
Beans, navy, per lb.	13 @ 14	16 @ 17 1/2
Beans, pinto, per lb.	9 1/2 @ 10 1/2	12 @ 13
BACON		
Bacon, Breakfast, (standard grade, per lb.)	46 1/2 @ 47 1/2	55
BREAD		
Victory Bread, per loaf, 24 oz.	12 1/2	15
Victory Bread, per loaf, 16 oz.	8 1/2	10
MISCELLANEOUS		
Rolls Oats, (package), 1 lb., 6 oz.	10 1/2	14
Onions, per lb.	026	4
Prunes, size (40-50), per lb.	18 1/2	25
Raisins, seeded, per 16 oz. pkg.	12 @ 14	16 @ 18
Canned tomatoes, standard grade, No. 2 can.	13	15
Canned Salmon, tall pink Alaska, No. 1 can.	18	25
Canned Salmon, tall red Alaska, No. 1 can.	23 1/2	32
Evaporated milk (sweetened) per 6 oz. can.	6 1/2	8
Evaporated milk (unsweetened) per 15 oz. can.	13	16
Milk, bottled, per quart	11	14
Oleomargarine, per lb.	33 @ 35 1/2	40
The maximum profit on butter shall not exceed 6c per lb.		
The maximum profit on cheese shall not exceed 7c per lb.		

DECLARES COURTS ARE DISGRACED BY HORSEPLAY

Los Angeles, Cal.—That several of the police courts of Los Angeles are conducted in an indecorous manner and that attorneys "make faces" at the prosecutor behind his back and grimace at the jury with the tacit consent of the judge, were the charges made by Dr. Robert C. Barton, executive secretary of the morale efficiency commission.

This charge was made by Dr. Barton after listening to the reports or investigators he had detailed to ascertain the reason for the large number of "not guilty" verdicts in charges involving violation of the new Gander liquor ordinance.

He said that this "horseplay" seriously interfered with the efficiency of the courts and the work of police officers and tended to sway the influence of the jurors.

MRS. STOKES HAS GIVEN HER HOME FOR GIRLS' CLUB

New York—Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes has recently turned over her attractive home at 230 Madison avenue to the Y. M. C. A. to be used as a club for girls volunteering for overseas work with that organization.

The afirst two floors of the house, which is completely furnished, contain the parlors, music room, writing room, library, and dining room. The rest is given over to sleeping quarters for the young women from all parts of the country who are waiting in New York for their final instructions and passports before sailing to Europe.

It was thought at first that the house would accommodate all of the "Y" girls volunteering for service in France, but it has been found necessary to engage a hundred additional bedrooms in the neighborhood.

Miss Juliana Cutting is in charge of the new club.

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No. 210 arrives in Maysville 2:35 p. m. Sunday only.
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No. 4 will arrive 8:49 p. m.
No. 16 departs 2:00 p. m.

West Bound
No. 19 will depart 5:25 a. m.
No. 5 will depart 7:00 a. m.
No. 17 will arrive 10:00 a. m.
No. 3 will depart 3:40 p. m.
No. 7 will depart 4:50 p. m.
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Acting on instructions from the Adjutant General, Brig. Gen. Austin has notified Governor Stanley that as many physicians at Camp Zachary Taylor as are available will be placed at the disposal of the State to assist in handling the influenza epidemic in mountain communities where the situation is still serious.

River men here were interested Friday in a shipment of 19 barges of coal from mines in the vicinity of Pittsburgh, which passed through this harbor en route to ports in Indiana and Illinois. The shipment is believed to have been the first from Pittsburgh which had passed here in two years.

The influenza situation has improved somewhat, but not sufficient to lift the ban as yet. Most of the country districts report new cases, but they are all of the mild order, which is a sign of improvement. No new cases have been reported in this city today as far as we could learn.

Voluntary early closing of business houses as a conservation measure is urged by the Kentucky Council of Defense in a formal statement issued by Chairman Edward W. Hines. It is suggested that the business day commence at 8 o'clock and close at 5 o'clock.

Manager Triebel of the Pastime Theater had his splendid gasoline launch stolen from the float of Gable Bros. at the Short street landing several days ago. Yesterday it was located at Ripley and was returned to this city. There is no clue as to the thief.

It is said that the German white flag is a symbol of utter humiliation and that by carrying it into the presence of a Marshal of France the arrogant Hun drinks bitter drugs—but what we started to say was, "How would you like to be the Kaiser?"

The splendid farm of Mr. Frank Allen, which was advertised for sale by Thomas L. Ewan & Co., was sold privately at a nice figure. This a most desirable farm.

The condition of Mrs. Lawrence Frost, who has been very ill with pneumonia at her home on Cherry street is somewhat improved.

The Maysville Cotton Mills have been running night and day for some time past on government work.

The two-year-old daughter of Robert Robinson, colored, died at its home on East Third street, Fifth Ward.

Mr. Colin Campbell of Aberdeen left this afternoon for Fort Thomas where he will entrain for Camp Funston.

Miss Agnes Murphy is the new stenographer at the E. L. Manchester Produce Company.

METHODISTS PROVIDE FIVE MILLION DOLLARS

For Reconstruction Work in France—Cincinnati Bishop Is to Direct Activities.

Yonkers, N. Y., November 7.—The Board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church in annual session here today, appropriated \$5,000,000 for post-war reconstruction work.

Bishop W. F. Anderson, of Cincinnati, and Dr. B. M. Tiptoe, President of the American Methodist College at Rome, were designated to go overseas and supervise the European end of the work.

A large part of the fund, it was announced, will be used in the establishment of Methodist Colleges of scholarships for students who were called in to the army and in aiding Methodist families whose bread winners have been killed or wounded.

"The men who fought in this war," declared Bishop T. S. Henderson, outlining the plans for this work, "will run the country for the next 25 years. Their needs and those of their families deserve a pre-eminent place on our program."

Dr. Tiptoe, in discussing the plans for Europe, declared it will take \$8,000,000,000 and 100 years to restore France to pre-war conditions. He called on the church to establish orphanages, relief depots and model farms in the devastated areas.

"America has the right of way in France," he said. "They are looking to us for leadership in the period after the war. Besides sending spiritual help, the Methodist Episcopal Church hopes to send over hundreds of engineering and agricultural college graduates who can help in the work of reconstruction."

The \$5,000,000 appropriation, it was said, was part of the general centenary movement whereby the Methodist Episcopal Church expects to celebrate the hundredth year of its missionary activity next year by the expenditure of \$50,000,000 on missions.

Plans for the centenary celebration, to be held at Columbus, Ohio, next June, are being discussed at the convention, together with plans for the campaign the board is conducting to finance the foreign mission work.

HOME OFFICIALS

Imagine the enthusiasm of a private soldier when he returns and finds that his father was a field marshal in a political campaign his brother a colonel in the Liberty loan campaign, and his mother a general in a motor corps.—Indianapolis News.

BURNED BALLOTS IN LEWIS COUNTY

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NO CHANCE FOR MAJOR LEAGUES IN 1919 SEASON

Semi-Pro Games Seem to Be Only Hope of Fans For Coming Year.

Chicago—Predominant in the discussion of baseball's future, wherever it is headlined, is the question of resuming major league operation and when it can occur. Several club owners in each of the big leagues have expressed the opinion the professional sport can be revived next year with government approval on the theory that it will be a necessary diversion to keep up the morale of the stay at homes.

The natural question is "What with?"

Seems to me these optimists overlook an important item. It must certainly would cheapen the sport beyond repair to attempt to foist major league baseball on the public with players under the 18 year draft limit and a force to try to use players over the 45 years mark. Where would these club owners get their players?

Men exempt from military service between 18 and 45 are expected to engage in essential pursuits under the work or fight edict, and the minimum is thirty-six hours' work a week. Consequently it would be impossible for players within the draft ages to make any extended trip with a baseball team.

Naturally, if this war should end before Christmas, as some superoptimists seem to think it will, there would be the possibility of reviving the professional sport under curtailed conditions next year, but that chance is considered by most folks too remote to be taken seriously.

Even if an armistice were effected this fall actual peace would be a long way off, and in the meantime war conditions would, of necessity, obtain in this country. Maintenance of a Yankee army in France would be necessary indefinitely and normal conditions in sport cannot return until the more than 2,000,000 Yankees already over there return.

The most rosy outlook for baseball seems to be in adapting the sport to some Saturday and Sunday basis, with players who are engaged in essential pursuits the rest of the week. This would be along semi-professional lines and restricted geographically. Nothing longer than overnight railroad jumps would be impossible, of course.

The scheme of the National Baseball federation to form a semi-professional league for Saturday and Sunday games during the coming year is about as ambitious a project as can be undertaken, according to the present outlook and that has not met any hearty response from promoters in the cities which were tentatively included in the proposed circuit. Most of the big leagues park owners seem to object to cheapening their plants by subtleties for semi-professional baseball. That, of course, is a matter of pride, as practically all of them have subtle or donated the use of their plants when idle in past years for all kinds of things from semi-professional football down to neighborhood picnics.

Without the use of the big league plants it would be impossible for the Cleveland semi-professional scheme to succeed. The cost of transportation for a league that would include Chicago and Pittsburgh, for instance, would be considerable. Figuring the round trip fare and sleepers from Chicago to Cleveland only, the expense for the transportation of fifteen players would be over \$400. Then there would be the hotel and incidental expenses, besides paying the players something for their services. There certainly would not be much profit, when the vagaries of the weather are considered, and there would be losses to be financed by somebody.

The plan to devote all the proceeds to providing athletic equipment, thru government channels, for soldiers and sailors is an excellent one, and would prove popular with the public, but there must be some backing willing to put up for possible deficits in order to insure carrying out the scheme, and there must be an organization strong enough to provide and enforce rules that will prevent all chance of the fiasco which have been so common in semi-professional baseball in the past.

The public will patronize semi-professional baseball if it cannot get anything better, but whether or not it will support it on the National Baseball federal's basis on how well the National federation works out its idea.

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Five thousand one hundred and five California farmers pledged themselves to keep 21,099 more pigs in 1918 as the result of a campaign carried on by farm bureaus to persuade every member to raise two more pigs than he would otherwise have done. The purpose of the campaign was to counteract the situation brought about by the high price of grain, which was resulting in the wholesale slaughter of brood sows and young pigs. Fourteen days after the campaign started the danger which threatened the hog industry of the Pacific coast was averted. In addition, the agitation and the publicity gained has increased the interest of both farmers and fruit growers in hog raising and has caused large breeders of hogs to keep up their stock.

Marriage license was issued to Peter P. O'Nealey and Miss Mamie B. Ryan of Mayslick yesterday, and they will be married in St. Rose of Lima Church Tuesday morning by Rev. Father Rohrer.

COLORED NEWS

The funeral of Mrs. aMy J. Owens will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial will be in the Maysville cemetery with services at the grave. Rev. R. Jackson of the Bethel Baptist Church will officiate.

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The U. S. GOVERNMENT

Has requested the people of Maysville and vicinity to do their Christmas shopping early and to carry their packages, when possible. This store is filled with merchandise that will make Holiday Presents that will both please and be of use to the one you present them to.

Dress Goods of many kinds and prices. Silks of rare beauty and style.

Wash Goods of many kinds. Satine Skirts. Gloves. Purses. Novelties. Jewellery, Etc.

Warm Blankets. Rugs of all sizes. Handkerchiefs. Neckwear. Ribbons. Hosiery.

Make this a Christmas that you will enjoy by giving presents that will be of service.

Robert L. Haefflich

Public Sale
Farm and Business Stand

At Marshall Station, Mason County, Kentucky.

I will sell to the highest and best bidder, on the premises, on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16** At 1 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

By business stand at Marshall Station consisting of a **GENERAL STORE** Stock, Scales, Coal House, Hacksmith Shop and 5-room Cottage with Garden and Outbuildings. Together with this business, I will include my contract with the L. and N. R. R. for the agency at Marshall Station.

At the same time and place I will offer my adjoining **FARM OF 40 ACRES** With the following improvements: Eight-room House (with Outbuildings, Well and Cistern) Tobacco Barn and Corn Crib. On this place are three small tenant houses that are already rented. The above farm will be offered as a whole or in two tracts; one of 15 acres with the Dwelling, two tenant houses and barn; the other of 25 acres with one tenant house. Opportunity will be given to purchase the farm and business as a whole.

At the same time and place I will offer for sale one Bay Family Horse, seven years old; one good red Milch Cow; one Sow and Pigs; two Hogs; lot of Clover Hay in barn; 65 Shocks shucked corn; 65 Shocks Fodder; one Spring Wagon; one Brockaway Buggy, good; Buggy Harness; some Farming Implements and Tools.

Easy Terms Made Known on Day of Sale.

T. F. GAITHER.
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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
All items under this head 1/2 cent a word. Minimum charge 10 cents.

WANTED
WANTED—A white girl from 14 to 16 years to help do house work in a family of three. If some one from the country who would like to go to school this winter and work when not in school this is a fine opportunity. Call at 309 Limestone street, Maysville, Ky. 8-3t

PASTIME

Wishes to announce the first picture to be shown after the ban is lifted, will be

A Daughter of France

Featuring **VIRGINIA PEARSON**

This great picture was shown at the matinee the day the ban was put on by the Health Board, those who saw it pronounced it one of the best war pictures ever brought here.

It tells a story of a brave French girl who fights for France and to save her honor. See the treatment of the French women by the invading Huns and the terrific fighting in the front line trenches, the destruction of the French Homes.

Here Are Four Good Farms For Sale

117 acres, located in Brown County, on good pike, 25 acres of good strong bottom land, 7-room house, large Tobacco Barn, good stock barn, well fenced and watered. Price 65.00 per acre, and a bargain.

60 acres, 12 miles from Maysville, on good pike all good strong land, well fenced and watered, has 2 houses, one 4-room and one 3-room, large store room, has room for 12,000 pounds of tobacco. Price \$100 per acre.

140 acres, the Flaughter farm, located in Brown county, between Ripley and Aberdeen, on good pike, has splendid 8-room residence, 6-room tenant house, large tobacco barn, good stable and other outbuildings, this is one of the best tobacco farms in Brown county. Price \$100 per acre.

8 acres, located at Burtonville, all in grass, 8-room house, 40x60 store room and other outbuildings. Price \$2500.

LIST YOUR FARMS WITH ME.

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